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SUBJ: CONVICTION AND SENTENCING OF TWO FAZ OFFICERS & POLITICAL

EXILE

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1. KINSHASA PRESS ANNOUNCED THE CONVICTION FOR TREASON AND DEATH SENTENCE OF FORMER ARMY CHIEF OF STAFF MAPA SALAMAY. AS REPORTED REFTEL, HE HAD PREVIOUSLY BEEN STRIPPED OF HIS MILITARY RANK AND CHARGED WITH TRANSMITTING DEFENSE SECRETS TO THE EX-KATANGAN GENDARMES AND ATTEMPTING TO DEMORALIZE THE DEFENDING TROOPS DURING THE INVASION OF SHABA.

2. ALSO SENTENCED TO DEATH (IN ABSTENTIA) WAS FORMER REGIONAL COMMISSIONER MONGUYA MBENGE. MONGUYA, NOW LIVING IN BELGIUM, WAS IDENTIFIED REFTEL AS MAMPA'S "COLLABORATOR" IN PASSING INFORMATION. HE WAS SPECIFICALLY CHARGED WITH COOPERATING WITH EX-KATANGAN LEADER MBUMBA IN THE INVASION OF SHABA. THE ZAIRIAN GOVT REPORTEDLY HAS BEGUN EFFORTS TO OBTAIN MONGUYA'S EXTRADITION FROM BELGIUM.

3. PRESS ANNOUNCED EARLIER THAT FORMER COL KABWE KAPASULA HAS BEEN CONVICTED FOR ARBITRARILY ARRESTING AND DETAINING A CITIZEN. THE COURT MARTIAL BOARD SENTENCED HIM TO FIVE YEARS IMPRISONMENT, FINED HIM 3,000 ZAIRES DAMAGES AS WELL AS COURT COSTS AND

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THREATENED HIM WITH ANOTHER THREE MONTHS IMPRISONMENT IF HE DEFALTED ON THE FINE.

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